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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition filed on January 5, 2006, requesting withdrawal of the Notice of Abandonment mailed on January 27, 2004.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

Petitioner requests the Notice of Abandonment mailed on January 27, 2004 for failure to respond to the Office action mailed on June 16, 2003 be withdrawn as petitioner timely filed a response. As evidenced by the attached amendment with a certificate of mailing date of September 14, 2004 a response was timely entrusted to the mails, but not received at the USPTO.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Anatoly Vortman at (571) 272-6051, or in his absence to the undersigned at (571) 272-3217.

The application file is being forwarded to the Technology Center AU 2856 for an appropriate action on concurrently filed amendment.

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